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| Title | Apparatus for Loading, Trans- porting and Stadding Bales | 5.5 |
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| Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments | 1812 2 | ≥,520 | 1812 | 2,520 | For filing a request for ex parte reexamination | |
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| Large Entity Small Entity | 1253 | 950 | 2253 | 475 | Extension for reply within third month | |
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| 1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee 385 | 1401 | 330 | 2401 | 165 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee | 1402 | 330 | 2402 | | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 1004 770 . 2004 385 Reissue filing fee | 1403 | 290 | 2403 | | Request for oral hearing | |
| 1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee | 1451 1 | 1,510 | 1451 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
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| 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE Fee from | 1501 1 | 1,330 | 2501 | 665 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
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| 1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid | 1810 | 770 | 2810 | 3 85 | For each additional invention to be | |
| 1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent | 1801 | 770 | 2801 | 385 | examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | |
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